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**CONTINUATION-IN-PART (CIP) PATENT APPLICATION**  
**TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

**INVENTOR(S): Gil Gavriel Dudkiewicz and Dale Kittrick Hitt**

**TITLE: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENERATING METADATA FOR  
PROGRAMMING EVENTS**

In connection with this application, the following are enclosed:

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS:**

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract): 58 pages
  - ☒ Claims: 32
  - ☒ Formal Drawings: 18 Sheets
  - ☐ Power of Attorney By Assignee and Exclusion of Inventor Under Rule 37 C.F.R. § 3.71
  - ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
    - ☐ Unsigned
    - ☒ Executed (original or copy)
    - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
- (relates to continuation/divisional boxes completed) - NOTE: Box below

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:**

- ☒ Assignment with Recordation Form Cover Sheet; check in the amount of \$40.00.
- ☐ Revocation and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(IDS) with PTO-1449. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$493.00 for filing fee.
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing By U.S. Express Mail.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).
- ☒ Small Entity Statement: **Applicants claim small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.**
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) with Claim of Priority (if foreign priority is claimed).

**CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

- ☒ Continuation-In-Part (CIP) of prior applications Serial Nos. 09/793,294, 09/793,322, 09/793,357, and 09/793,479, each filed 26 February 2001.
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: --This application is a continuation, ☐ divisional or ☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. ☐, filed ☐--

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Total Claims	32 - 20 =	12	X \$18 (x \$9)	81.
Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	X \$84 (x \$42)	42.
Multiple Dependent Claims: 0			\$280 (\$140)	0.
Assignment Recording Fee per property			\$40	40.
Surcharge Under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)			\$130 (\$65)	0.
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Respectfully submitted,

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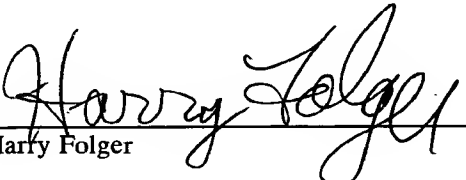
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